

In the Claims:

## Claim 1:

- line 6, after "surface, all" and before "said sections being" insert  
--of --;  
after "surface, all said sections being" delete [capable of  
being].
- line 9, after "a flexible interface region" insert -- a constant width  
region,- -.
- line 12, after "wrap portion" insert --and capable of covering paint  
brushes of different lengths--.
- line 13, after "edge of said middle section" insert -- said interface  
region having a varying width to accommodate paint brushes  
of different sizes, side interface region having a minimum  
width set to the width of the smallest paint brush desired to be  
covered by said device --.
- line 16, after "within said wrap portion" insert --said means for  
securing being removeably attached to said external surface of  
said middle section to be extended under the handle of a paint  
brush and removeably attached to said external surface of said  
flap portion, each of said means for securing being positioned  
on opposite sides of a handle of said paint brush upon  
covering.--.

Delete Claim 2.